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<TEXT>I urge you to reject a flat fee proposal that would change
how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund. I am
concerned that this proposal could make my current service
unaffordable.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make
few long distance calls would pay the same as people or
businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and
primarily residential customers would bear the same universal
service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business
customers. This is unfair!

Again, I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF
collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair!

Sincerely,

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